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Docket No. 2003-1969.ORI

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Re App : Boris A. Miksic Date: April 4, 2005  
S.N. : 10/661794 Group Art: 1755  
Filed: September 12, 2003 Examiner: Anthony J.  
Green  
For : BIODEGRADABLE CORROSION INHIBITOR  
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Respectfully submitted,

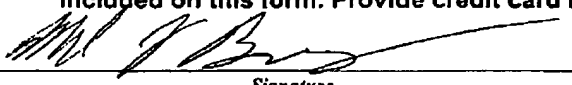
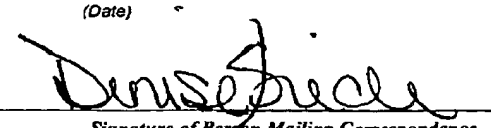
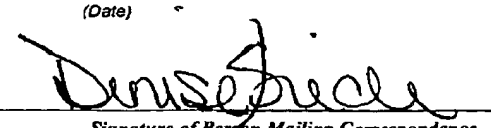
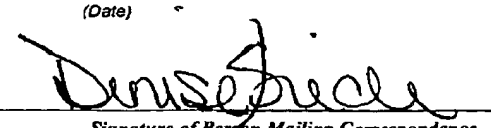
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